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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)		Docket Number (Optional) 22253-66093
	In re Application of: DISCHER et al.	
	Application Number: 09/460,605	Filed: 12/14/1998
	For: POLYTERMERSOMES AND RELATED ENCAPSULATING MEMBRANES	
	Group Art Unit: 1615	Examiner: G. Kishore

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This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows
(check time period desired):

<input type="checkbox"/>	One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$
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<input type="checkbox"/>	Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$
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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$200

The fee is enclosed.

Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 50-0979.
I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

I am the applicant/inventor
 assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.
Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).
 attorney or agent of record
 attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).
Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a) _____

Date: May 20, 2002


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NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.

Total of one (1) forms are submitted.